ORPS is on the Web

The ORPS Graphical User Interface (GUI) is on the Web and available for use as of March 3, 1997. If you have not yet tried this easy "point and click" way of getting ORPS data, charts and graphs, please visit http://tis.eh.doe.gov/web/ oeaf/orps. You will need a password which you can get by emailing eugenia.boyle@eh.doe.gov.

Training on the new GUI was provided at the Occurrence Reporting and Processing System (ORPS) Workshop held in Pasco, WA, in April, where it was well received by approximately 170 attendees. The lesson plans and workbooks used for training during the workshop will be available to everyone via the Internet so that sites will be able to offer their own ORPS GUI training.

ORPS Re-Engineering

The goals of ORPS Re-engineering are to reduce costs (yours and ours), improve data quality and make data and analysis tools more widely available. To date, we have relocated ORPS to a new computer platform making possible new enhancements such as Internet access and the Graphic User Interface (GUI) discussed above. Over the past year, we have collected much customer input into ORPS re-engineering. Most of the comments however tended to be "tweaks" on the current system. We will be visiting each Operations Office, as well as some Field Offices, and program offices at HQ this summer for a blue sky discussion of what you want ORPS to accomplish for you. As a result of these activities you may see a new ORPS rolled out sometime next spring. Point of contact for ORPS Re-engineering is Earl Hughes at earl.hughes@eh.doe.gov.

The Office of Operating Experience Analysis and Feedback Homepage

We invite you to visit our Internet Homepage for some of your analysis needs. The internet homepage consolidates environment, safety and health data, analysis, performance measures, and lessons-learned from the Department's operations. The site is a resource for analysts, managers, and safety professionals to improve safety and health performance in the Department's operations. The internet address for the homepage is **http://tis.eh.doe.gov/web/oeaf/**.

Performance Indicator Data System (PIDS) on the Web Soon!

The new Performance Indicator Data System (PIDS) is nearing completion. You will have access to ES&H performance indicators for all DOE, your site and/or your facility, with a time lag as short as 24 hours.

DOE Corporate ES&H Performance Indicators Working Group

The Office of Environment, Safety and Health, the Office of Environmental Management and the Office of Field Management have agreed to work together in defining an approach to corporate ES&H performance measurement. Focus is what measures are desired/needed by headquarters and is not intended to drive performance measures used in the field.

A working group of Headquarters and field personnel have developed a preliminary set of ES&H performance indicators. The preliminary set generally follows the ES&H Operating Experience Analysis Template (http://tis- hq.eh.doe. gov/web/oeaf/welcome/oe_template.html) in that it includes measures in accidents, precursors to accidents, quality of management systems, and safety behavior. Upon final agreement by the working group, that the preliminary list of indicators represent our best effort, a report will be made to senior DOE management transmitting our result and soliciting their review and comment.

Performance Based Contracts and ES&H Performance Measures

We have analyzed the use of ES&H performance measures in four EM contracts: Hanford, Rocky Flats, Savannah River and Idaho. The purpose of the report is to identify and analyze the EH performance measures in the various contracts and compare the approaches taken by the different sites. The EH-33 report will contrast the number and types of EH performance measures, identify percentages of ES&H incentive fee vs total fee and discuss the contract methodology used. When the report is issued in the next few weeks, we will post it on our web site.

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